UNITED STATES DISTRICT CO SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW	YORK	V	
ABRAHAM KATZ,	Plaintiff,	X : : :	
		:	20 Civ. 00866 (LGS)
-against-		:	
		:	<u>ORDER</u>
EQUIFAX INFORMATION SERV	VICES, LLC, et	t :	
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	Defendants.	:	
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LORNA G. SCHOFIELD, District Judge:

WHEREAS, the initial pretrial conference in this matter is scheduled for March 26, 2020; WHEREAS, no significant issues were raised in the parties' joint letter or proposed case

management plan; it is hereby

ORDERED that the March 26, 2020, initial pretrial conference is **CANCELLED**. If the parties believe that a conference would nevertheless be useful, they should inform the court immediately so the conference can be reinstated. The case management plan and scheduling order will issue in a separate order. The parties' attention is particularly directed to the provisions for periodic status letters, and the need for a pre-motion letter to avoid cancellation of the final conference and setting of a trial date. It is further

ORDERED that, if Defendants seek to file a motion to dismiss, they shall file a premotion letter pursuant to Individual Rules III.A.1 and III.C.2. It is further

ORDERED, regarding settlement discussions, if and when the parties are ready to proceed with a settlement conference with the assigned Magistrate Judge or mediation in the Court's mediation program, they shall file a joint letter on ECF requesting a referral.

The parties should be aware that the Court does not extend the deadlines for fact and expert discovery absent compelling circumstances.

Dated: March 23, 2020

New York, New York

LORNA G. SCHOFIELD

United States District Judge